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Declaration and Power of Attorney

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled "ELECTRONIC DEVICE HAVING A BARRIER REGION INCLUDING ALUMINUM AND A METHOD OF MANUFACTURE THEREFOR," the specification of which was filed on January 08, 2001.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment, if any, specifically referred to in this oath or declaration.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to all information known to me which is material to the patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

NUMBER	COUNTRY	DATE FILED	PRIORITY CLAIMED
	None		

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

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None		

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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APPENDIX G

PATENT APPLICATION ASSIGNMENT

THIS PATENT APPLICATION ASSIGNMENT is made as of January 2, 2003 by AGERE SYSTEMS INC., a Delaware corporation having a principal place of business at 1110 American Parkway, NE, Allentown, Pennsylvania 18109, hereinafter referred to as the ASSIGNOR, and TRIQUINT TECHNOLOGY HOLDING CO., a Delaware corporation with offices at 2300 NE Brookwood Parkway, Hillsboro, OR 97124, hereinafter referred to as the ASSIGNEE.

ASSIGNOR is the owner of certain patent applications identified on Schedule "A" attached hereto (the "ASSIGNED PATENT APPLICATIONS").

ASSIGNEE desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest of ASSIGNOR in and to said ASSIGNED PATENT APPLICATIONS.

For good and valuable consideration paid by the ASSIGNEE, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNOR does hereby sell, assign and transfer to the ASSIGNEE, at ASSIGNEE's sole expense, ASSIGNOR's entire right, title and interest in and to the ASSIGNED PATENT APPLICATIONS, in the U.S. and every foreign country, and all patent rights, including extensions or derivations thereof, both foreign and domestic, that may issue on the ASSIGNED PATENT APPLICATIONS. ASSIGNEE hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents that all U.S. patents that issue on the ASSIGNED PATENT APPLICATIONS shall issue to ASSIGNEE. This assignment includes assignment to ASSIGNEE of the right to make application in its own behalf for protection of the ASSIGNED PATENT APPLICATIONS and any patents issued on the ASSIGNED PATENT APPLICATIONS, in the U.S. and countries foreign to the U.S., and to claim under the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the International Convention and/or other international arrangement for any such application the date of any earlier U.S. application (or any other application on the invention) to gain priority with respect to other applications. The ASSIGNED PATENT APPLICATIONS and all patents that issue on the ASSIGNED PATENT APPLICATIONS shall be held and enjoyed by the ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by the ASSIGNOR had this assignment not been made.

ASSIGNOR covenants and agrees to execute such further and confirmatory assignments in recordable form as the ASSIGNEE may require to vest record title of said respective ASSIGNED PATENT APPLICATIONS in ASSIGNEE.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the ASSIGNOR has caused this Assignment to be executed by a duly authorized officer.

AGERE SYSTEMS INC.

By: Gerard A. deBlasi
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Title: Vice President

SCHEDULE A OF PATENT APPLICATION ASSIGNMENT

ASSIGNED PATENT APPLICATIONS

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We authorize Agere Systems Optoelectronics Guardian Corporation to make application for such protection in its own name and maintain such protection in any and all countries foreign to the United States, and to invoke and claim for any application for patent or other form of protection for said inventions, without further authorization from us, any and all benefits, including the right of priority provided by any and all treaties, conventions or agreements.

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We agree that, when requested, we shall, without charge to Agere Systems Optoelectronics Guardian Corporation but at its expense, sign all papers, and do all acts which may be necessary, desirable or convenient in connection with said applications, patents, or other forms of protection.

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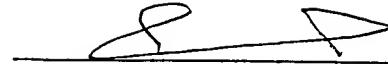
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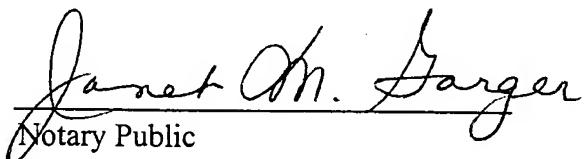
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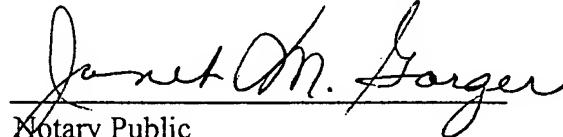
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